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AND VIRTUAL PATH IDENTIFIER (as amended)**

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AMENDMENT

S I R:

In response to the Office Action dated April 4, 2004 (Paper No. 12), please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper and include one (1) attached Abstract sheet attached hereto in Appendix A.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.